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MANILA FOR USADB
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E.O. 11652: N/A DECONTROL 12/31/78
TAGS: EAID, EFIN, BG
SUBJECT: PROPOSED ADB LOAN FOR KHULNA-MONGLA ROAD PROJECT
(BANGLADESH)

REF: MANILA 6238

1. AMEMBASSY DACCA IN COMPLETE AGREEMENT WITH NEED
AND VIABILITY THIS PROJECT AND CONCURS SUBJECT FOLLOWING COMMENT:
WE DO NOT HAVE THE COST ANALYSIS FERRIES VERSUS A BRIDGE AND
REALIZE BANK APPRAISAL REVIEWED THIS QUESTION EXHAUSTIVELY.
NONETHELESS WE CANNOT BUT SPECULATE WHETHER IN LONG TERM A
COMBINED HIGHWAY AND RAILWAY BRIDGE WOULD NOT HAVE
GREATER ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL BENEFITS. THE COST AS SHOWN IN THE
REFTEL OF THE FERRY COMPONENTS IS \$2.72 MILLION AND COST OF THE
BRIDGE \$6.0 MILLION. IN VIEW OF MAINTENANCE AND SPARE PARTS
PROCUREMENT PROBLEMS WHICH COULD RESULT IN THE FERRIES
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RESTRICTING - AND IN THE WORST CASE, STOPPING - OVERLAND
MOVEMENT FROM MONGLA PORT, A SECOND LOOK MIGHT BE
WARRANTED. THIS MIGHT BE REFLECTED IN PROJECT AS ALTERNATIVE
COMPONENT TO BE EXAMINED AT OUTSET BY THE CONSULTANTS.
MASTERS

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